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ST. J. & SOUTH PARIS TAKEN OVER BY GOULD

GOULD 76—ST. JOHNSBURY 26

Gould Academy ran wild against St. Johnsbury here last Friday night, scoring a one-sided 76-26 victory. Hall, Davis and Bennett scored in double figures with 23, 17 and 15 respectively. The eight men left on the varsity squad played and each got into the scoring column.

Dumas and Barber were tops for the Vermonters with 9 and 8 points. The visitors had hard luck in their shooting throughout the game.

GOULD (76)			
Bennett f	7	1	15
Hall f	10	3	23
Davis c	8	1	17
Boyd c	2	1	5
Kendall g	1	2	4
Guernsey f	2	0	4
Smith g	1	0	2
Dodge g	1	1	3
Total	32	12	76

St. Johnsbury (26)			
Spaulding f	1	0	2
Tirrell f	0	0	0
Dumas f	4	1	9
Vitty f	1	0	2
Barber c	3	2	8
Perry c	0	0	0
Peplin g	1	1	3
Warren g	1	0	2
King g	0	0	0
Total	11	4	26

GOULD 72—SOUTH PARIS 36

Gould had no trouble here Wednesday taking South Paris by a 72-36 count. Four Gould men: Davis, Hall, Bennett, and Smith scored in double figures. The reserves saw considerable service and played improved ball also.

Paris' freshman forward Wentworth starred for the visitors as he collected 13 of his team's 30 points.

In the preliminary game the Gould J.V.s continued their winning ways by posting a 48-35 victory with Lowell and Mason showing the way with 24 and 12 points.

GOULD (72)			
Bennett f	7	0	14
Hall f	6	4	16
Davis c	7	6	20
Boyd c	2	0	4
Kendall g	0	0	0
Guernsey f	2	0	4
Smith g	6	0	12
Dodge g	1	0	2
Total	31	10	72

South Paris (30)			
Wentworth f	5	3	13
Bean f	1	0	2
Gannon f	2	2	6
Richards f	0	0	0
Sanborn c	1	1	3
Stevens c	2	0	4
Laugier c	0	0	0
Hile g	1	0	2
Woodworth g	0	0	0
Bailey g	0	0	0
Total	12	6	30

GOULD 41—ST. JOHNSBURY 21

The Gould Junior Varsity made a great comeback in the second half after trailing 9-10 at the half to gain revenge on Woodstock High to the tune of 41-21. Agness, Mason, and Lowell were the big guns with 12, 12, and 14 points each.

The only visitor to show any scoring ability was Mills who connected for 13 points. Greene, Howe and Hathaway, high scorers of the first game were well bottled up, while Howe was left unguarded to shoot at will but could not connect.

GOULD J.V.s (41)			
Agness	6	0	12
Rolls	1	0	2
Lowell	12	4	28
Payer	0	0	0
Mason	6	0	12
Jordan	0	0	0
Douglass	0	0	0
Bennett	0	0	0
Brown	0	1	2
Bean	0	0	0
Total	15	5	41

Woodstock (21)			
Mills	6	1	13
Howe	0	0	0
Greene	3	0	6
Berryman	1	0	2
Sweetser	0	0	0
House	0	0	0
Farnham	0	0	0
Hathaway	0	0	0
Tyler	0	0	0
Total	10	1	21

GOULD J.V.s 41—ST. JOHNSBURY 21

Woodstock 21—ST. JOHNSBURY 10

References—Myers and Sanders.

At the public card party sponsored by Sunset Restaurant Lodge Monday evening three tables were in play. Mrs. Harry Hutchinson and Chester Briggs won prizes for high score and Mrs. Leroy Bennett and Earl Hutchinson received consolation prizes.



Mr. and Mrs. Leland R. Brown

BROWN—DOUGHERTY

Miss Barbara May Dougherty of East Sumner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dougherty of South Portland, and Leland Richard Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Brown of Bethel, were united in marriage Sunday, January 30, at an afternoon ceremony at 3:15, Rev. Kingsley Hawthorne was the officiating clergyman and a double ring service was performed.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, Brig. Gen. Millett, (ret.) of East Sumner, wore a gown of white, imported Holland lace with matching veil attached to a lace and seed pearl crown. She carried a white satin prayer book, decorated with white roses and streamers.

Miss Eleanor Millett of Worcester, Mass., cousin of the bride, was maid of honor, and wore a gown of pale yellow, carrying a large colonial bouquet. The bridesmaids were Miss Marion Chapman of Augusta, cousin of the bridegroom, wearing a pink gown and carrying a blue decorated colonial bouquet and Miss Eleanor Gurney of Bethel, wearing a gown of pale blue and carrying a pink colonial bouquet. Miss Susan Boynton, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Willard Boynton of Bethel, was trainbearer.

Donald Holroyd, of Berlin, N. H., served as best man and the ushers were Roscoe Trull, Errol Donahue, Richard Bryant and Earlon Paine.

Mrs. Laurence Lord was at the organ and Mrs. Parker Connor sang "Because." The church was beautifully decorated with white anemones and white wedding bells.

Gifts to the bride's attendants, soloist and organist were gold compact; gifts to the best man and ushers were gold pocket knives. The reception followed in the church dining room with Miss Anne Cummings acting as reception hostess, the Misses Nova Mundt and Constance Coolidge serving refreshments. Mrs. Homer Smith Jr., and Mrs. Robert Mills at the gift table, and Miss Barbara Farrar in charge of the guest book.

Mrs. Brown was graduated from Gould Academy in 1948 and has been attending Westbrook Junior College. Mr. Brown was also graduated from Gould Academy in 1948 and attended Northeastern Business College at Portland. The bride's going-away costume was gray with accessories in gray and wine.

After a short wedding trip to Canada, the newly married couple will reside in Bethel.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Roscoe Andrews is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Viella Crosby has been confined by illness for several days.

James Browne SA and Robert Croteau SA spent the week end at their homes in town.

Miss Margaret Ames is at home for a few days from her studies at Wheelock College, Boston.

Mrs. S. H. Browne is spending a few weeks with her son, Paul, and family at Springfield, Mass.

Miss Helen Cornforth of Hartford, Conn., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Young and family.

Mrs. K. W. Hawthorne and daughter Sarah are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jones, in Belmont, Mass.

Billy O'Brien and Carl Wight are at home from the University of Maine, where at Brunswick for a few days.

Mrs. Philip Chadbourne entertained the Contract Club Tuesday evening. Substitutes were Mrs. Norman Grog and Mrs. Addison Saunders. Mrs. Richmond Rodrick received high score and Mrs. Ordell Anderson low. Mrs. Freeland Clark is high scorer for the season.

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GRAMMAR SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Principal Charles Chapman announces the honor roll for the second ranking period. The number of students on this list has shown a definite increase over the first nine weeks.

FIRST HONORS: Grade 8—Juley Bartlett, Sylvia Dyke; Grade 7—Paul Fossett; Grade 6—Mary Jane Chapman.

SECOND HONORS: Grade 8—Barbara Cole, John Marshall, Marie Mills, Henrietta Swain; Grade 7—Joan Conner, Marlene Marshall, Mary Ann Myers; Grade 6—Mary Belle Bennett, Nesta Gordon, Barbara Hulbert, Barbara Joydry, Jane Smith; Grade 5—Gloria Wilton.

GOULD THESPIANS TO STAGE THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS AS PART OF CARNIVAL

Continuing a custom inaugurated several years ago as part of the Gould Academy Winter Carnival, some 23 Gould actors and actresses will present three one-act plays, all of them favoring comedy, on Friday evening, Feb. 11, commencing at eight o'clock. A number of local young people have been selected by Mr. Thompson, the director, several of whom will be making their first footlight appearance before Bethel folk.

The first play, STAR-STRUCK, deals with an eventful day in the home of a Hollywood male movie star, where star-struck bobby soxers, strange gifts from fans, a jilted blonde, and various other noisy items give the hero's wife and secretary quite a run for their money. Included in the cast are Peggy Champlain, Edith White, Mary Goodnow, Ellen Linnell, Cynthia Dunham, Lois Van, Debbie Fredericks, Bob Knight, and Levi Swanson.

Second on the program is RINGING IN THE GROOM, which tells of the revolt of a Casper Milquetoast character, played by Charles Keenan, who endures all sorts of family insults and burdens before, urged on by Grandma, played by Marilyn Judkins, he asserts himself and marches off to marry the girl to whom he has been engaged for four years. Plenty of opportunity is given for clever characterizations by the casts which includes in addition to the two mentioned, Sarah Dorton, Marion Masse, Guy Emery, Joy Smith, Gloria McKen and Clare Macy.

The final play is the tournament entry for Gould this year, "OP O' ME THUMB." The story deals with the attempt of a little laundry worker of London's Cockney class to find romance in the figure of a scornful laborer whose shirt has been left to be called for. There are both comedy and a touch of pathos in the play. The cast includes Helen Keehlwetter, Ed Hekox, Barbara Pretty, Laura Bennett, Eunice Lane and Jane Bean.

Tickets will be on sale at the door, with all seats unreserved.

GOULD PLAYS NORWAY AT 7:30 IN NORWAY ARMY, FRIDAY

In the double header scheduled at the Norway Army for Friday night Gould will meet Norway in the first game at 7:30 p.m. In the second game at 8:45 Fryeburg will take on South Paris High.

Mrs. Robert Hering and daughter, Patricia, of Patuxent River, Md., are spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Donahue, while her husband is attending school in Kansas.

Bill LaClair and Kimball Ames attended the Governor's Tax Conference and a directors' meeting of the Maine Independent Oil Marketers Association at Augusta Monday.

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GARARD C. EAMES

Garard C. "Speed" Eames died suddenly at 7:45 Monday morning at the Hanover Dowel Company where he was employed as a bookkeeper.

He was born June 29, 1908, the son of Lulu Cross Eames and the late True Eames.

He was graduated from Gould Academy in 1928 and attended Bates College and Northampton Commercial College.

Survivors include his wife, the former Miss Stella Pillsbury, his mother, and a brother, Theodore, of Florida.

Funeral services will be held at his late home at two o'clock Friday afternoon, the Rev. William Penner officiating.

GEORGE ANGEVINE

George Angevine of Upton passed away at the Veterans Hospital, Togus, Jan. 30, where he had been a patient for only a few hours. He was born Oct. 13, 1928, at Upton, the son of John and Gladys Lombard Angevine.

He enlisted in the service March 14, 1946, and was stationed at Fort Greble, Maine, and Fort Lewis, Wash. He became ill and spent considerable time in Veterans' Hospitals in Washington, Washington, D. C., and Framingham, Mass. He was discharged from the service Oct. 28, 1947.

He attended the local school at Upton and was studying at Gould Academy for further education at the time of his death.

Besides his parents he is survived by four brothers, Avery and Ernest of Bethel; John, Upton; and Everett of Wilson's Mills; and five sisters, Miss Carrie Angevine of Westfield, Mass., and Agnes, Helen, Catherine, and Susan Angevine of Upton; and a half brother, Chester, of Nova Scotia.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Upton Church. Interment services were conducted by the American Legion.

HENRY SCHOOLS

Thomas Henry Schools died at West Stewartstown, N. H., last Monday morning.

Mr. Schools was born at St. Stevens, N. H., April 11, 1883. He came to the States when he was 18 years old, and had been a lumberman all his life.

He married Miss Eliza Mason of Bethel who died many years ago.

Survivors are one son, George M. Schools of Portland and nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at Greenleaf's funeral home Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. William Penner officiated. Burial at West Bethel.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE COMMITTEES NAMED

At the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening at the American Legion Home, President Addison Saunders appointed the following committees:

Program—William C. Chapman, Elwood F. Ireland, Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven.

Membership—E. Linwood Brown, John P. Howe, Walter Tikander.

Advertising—Carl Brown, Philip Parlin, Francis Noyes.

Finance—Louis Van Den Kerckhoven, Earl Davis, Durward Mason.

The ticket committee for the March meeting is Walter Tikander, Charles Merrill, and Donald Brown.

There was a discussion of local affairs and it was announced that the Roadside Grille will serve as information center during the winter sports season. A sign will be furnished by the Chamber of Commerce.

Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven spoke of the recently organized Androscoggin Valley Beagle Club and said that the American Kennel Club has approved Bethel as a site for field trials this spring.

After the meeting Kimball Ames gave a report of the Governor's Tax Conference at Augusta Monday.

PAUL BROWNE RESIGNS COUNTY AGENT

Paul E. Browne resigned Monday as Hampden County (Mass.) Agricultural Agent to become manager of a large farm in Frederick County, Maryland. Before becoming County Agent in 1944 he was 4-H Club Agent in the same county. The son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne of Bethel, he is a graduate of Gould Academy, 1935, and the University of Maine.

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BETHEL PEOPLE INJURED IN THREE CAR CRASH SUNDAY

Seven persons were hurt in a three car crash near Rattle Brook in Shelburne Sunday evening. The pile-up was started when a car driven by Amedee Fiasette of Gilead struck a post and overturned. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. Fiasette were injured. Then a car driven by Robert Chapman of Gilead collided head-on with a car driven by Gilbert C. Rogers of Stark, N. H.

Mrs. Rogers was trapped in the front seat until the cars were pried apart and suffered a fractured left ankle. Neither Mr. Rogers nor their son Wayne were hurt. Mr. Chapman suffered a fractured right knee. Mrs. Chapman, formerly Mrs. Nora Hobson, suffered a five inch cut on her forehead and contrusions of the right elbow and knee. She is at a Berlin hospital. Other passengers in the Chapman car were Miss Joan Hobson, who suffered a bruised lower lip; Albert Cotton, Bethel, lacerated lower lip; Edward Hall, Bethel, bruised right elbow; and Philip Cummings, Locke Mills, lacerated forehead.

Traffic was held up about an hour.

ARTHUR ANDREWS HONORED ON RETIREMENT FROM R.F.D.

A party was given Arthur Andrews of Bryant Pond at his home Monday evening in honor of his retirement from the Rural Mail Service.

Mr. Andrews began his rural mail service Aug. 25, 1918, and retired Oct. 30, 1948. He first carried on route 2 out of the Bryant Pond office but upon the death of John F. Howe, carrier on route 1, he transferred to that route May 16, 1930. Mr. Andrews has been a carrier well liked by all his patrons, being courteous and giving efficient service.

This party was given by the Oxford County Rural Letter Carriers Association and Auxiliary. They presented Mr. Andrews with a 21 jewel Bulova wrist watch and to Mrs. Andrews a bouquet of snapdragons and carnations.

Card games were enjoyed, with high score being held by Mrs. Albert Jackson and low by Mrs. Vernon Smith, both of West Paris. Refreshments of home made ice cream, cake, coffee, candy and peanuts were served.

Present were Cecil Maxim, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Henderson, Hebron; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Barker, East Stoneham; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smith of West Paris; Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe, Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dunham, Harris Hathaway, Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. John Judkins, South Paris; Stanley Farrar, Clerks Davis and Mason, Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Andrews' daughter Alice and twin granddaughters, Jean and Jane Wardwell, Albany.

Mr. Andrews had already been given a party and presented a purse of money by his patrons and post office force with about 150 present.

HAWTHORNE ATTENDING GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne left Wednesday afternoon for Cleveland to attend a special meeting of the General Council of Congregational Churches, Feb. 4 and 5. He goes as the delegate of the Oxford Association of Congregational Churches.

The meeting is for further consideration of the merger of the Congregational churches and the Evangelical Reformed Church. Mr. Hawthorne will return to Bethel, Tuesday, Feb. 8.

BROWNIE SCOUT NEWS

The regular meeting of the Brownie Scouts was held at Mrs. Christie's. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Carla Graver. The sec. and treas. reports were read and accepted. There 27 members present. The subject of the meeting was nature and its colors. We are to make weather charts for our next meeting. Mrs. Christie was our leader and after the meeting she served us hot chocolate and cookies.—Patricia Klitredge, sec.

ROOMS NEEDED for Carnival Guests

Any family having an extra room available Thursday, Friday or Saturday night of Carnival week-end to accommodate adults or parents are asked to get in touch with Academy office.

Please call before Feb. 4.

COUNTY BOOST MAINE CAMPAIGN, FEB. 14-25

P. H. Chadbourne, Bethel lumber manufacturer, is one of four co-chairmen for the Oxford County Boost Maine Campaign Feb. 14 to 25. Guy P. Butler, executive manager of the Maine Publicity Bureau, which is sponsoring the drive, announced Wednesday.

Other co-chairmen are Henry J. Parent, Rumford merchant; J. Walter Haslam of Norway, retired; and State Senator Roland H. Cobb of Denmark.

The "kick-off" dinner will be held at 6:30 p. m. Monday, Feb. 14, in the Norway Armory, with Governor Frederick C. Payne, honorary chairman of the State-wide Boost Maine Committee and Harold F. Schurle, general chairman, as the principal speakers. Schurle is also chairman of the Maine Development Commission.

Campaign headquarters will be set up in the Hotel Harris, Rumford.

Purpose of the "Boost Maine" campaign, the first such State-wide effort to be undertaken for 25 years, is to reawaken Maine people to a "booster" attitude in their home State and to the need for more promotion and advertising. This is being sought through more legislative funds for the Maine Development Commission and increased membership support for the Maine Publicity Bureau, which is the voluntary part of Maine's official promotion team.

The Boost Maine Campaign was a big success in Androscoggin County last month and is winding up with even greater support this week in Kennebec County, Butler reported.

GOULD PLAYS MEXICO AND FRYEBURG HERE NEXT WEEK

One Wednesday the Husky teams will meet Mexico here in a double header starting at 7:00 p. m. The Pintos gave Gould a real battle before Christmas when they went out in the last period, but were finally beaten in the closing minutes of the game. Last week the Pintos "rose-up" to defeat a highly favored Wilton Academy team. Mexico-Gould games have always been hard fought battles and another such is expected here Wednesday.

The Gould underdogs won a one-sided victory at Mexico and are favored to again repeat. Game time for the prelin is 7:00 p. m.

Friday afternoon Gould will meet Fryeburg Academy for the final Western Maine Conference game for the Huskies. The visitors still have two games to play with Mexico after that.

The Gould-Fryeburg affair at Fryeburg was some game. Fryeburg led 10-8 at the quarter and 24-23 at the half. Gould gained in the third canto to lead 33-37 and with a last period scoring spree finally won 59-49. This should be one of the best schoolboy games of the season.

The two J.V. teams are scheduled to start at about 3 p. m. during the running of the State Championship Cross Country race. These are all events of the Gould Winter Carnival and the State Ski Championships scheduled for Bethel during the 11th and 12th.

BETHEL NAVY BOYS ON CARIBBEAN CRUISE

James A. Browne and Robert J. Croteau, seamen apprentices, USN, of Bethel are serving aboard the light cruiser USS Huntington, which is making a reserve training cruise in the Caribbean.

Both entered the Navy last September at the Naval Recruiting Station, Portland, and received recent training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Before entering the Navy they were graduated in June from Gould Academy.

Miss Lee Nary will leave Friday to take up her work at the Camden Memorial Hospital after spending a few days at her home here.

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Does Government Management Work?

For a decade before World War II, France was moving toward control and management of her major industries. Private employers were unduly criticized. The profit system was represented as being abused. There were those who apparently found it easy to foment confusion and strife. Employees were set against employers. Production went down, standards of living went lower and lower. The security of France became doubtful, as dangers arose.

Then came the attack from Hitler. France fell quickly. Her divided condition, her hatreds and factionalism, made defense feeble and weak. Then five years later, liberation came. France again established her own government. But industrial confusion was still everywhere. Employers were so discredited by the propaganda that production couldn't get going.

From Chaos to Order
The trouble was that the French people in general, fretted by the propaganda, couldn't get down to straight thinking. The public wanted more and more for doing less and less. The call for government to take over major industries became louder and louder.

Certain industries were therefore taken over in 1943 and 1946. One of these was the coal industry, in which the government took over ownership of the mines. It employed the management, and hired all the workers. The government was placed in full and complete control. Three years passed.

No Happy Family
You have perhaps read the news in recent weeks. Government employed miners went out on strike against their government employer. These government employees so seriously damaged government owned mines that government soldiers had to be sent out to protect the property and the mines. You might think that under socialism, everybody would be just one happy family.

Not at all. Fighting has been going on between the government and the miners and the government soldiers. Property has been so damaged that some mines cannot be lived for many months at best. Lives have been lost in the fighting, and many persons wounded. All this at a time when France is in a critical hour, when her people need coal and fuel. This is all wrong, and it certainly proves that government management cannot insure industrial peace.

Keep Industry Safe
There are other important observations. Very important is the fact that government ownership and management of mines did not increase production per man day. On the other hand, 4 million tons of coal have been lost, and the price has risen about 50 per cent. This has led to the diversion of 10 million Marshall Plan dollars from other purposes, to buy fuel for the French people.

Many who wanted government management are still not satisfied. Many of them are pointing a Communist state. That would happen to America. There is no need to say that government management would work here. It is only a step toward Communism, which we do not want. Let us work on every way to preserve private management, a system which has helped America to achieve the highest wages and best living conditions ever known.

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Hugh H. George of Columbus, O., tells how he made a big sale of materials because he had conquered this failing. A man with the difficult German name of Heinrich Schwantzganz was about to build a house. Naturally, every dealer around wanted to sell him the materials for his house. Mr. Schwantzganz was a good business man and he meant to get more than one bid for his business. When Mr. George asked to see the plans of his house, with a view to bidding, he obligingly brought them to Mr. George's office, accompanied by his wife.

D. Carnegie

When the couple walked in the office, Mr. George arose and with outstretched hand said, "I am glad to see you, Mr. Schwantzganz." At that, Mr. Schwantzganz looked surprised and turned to his wife: "Mamma, listen, Mamma, three weeks ago this young man met me but once and he knows my name already still. Thank you very much, young man. How you remember so hard a name? My name's hard to remember."

"Not for me, Mr. Schwantzganz, for my father taught me years ago that fool's names and faces pass like dry leaves in a breeze, but the name and face of a person of character and distinction remain in one's memory."

"Dat's right, young man, dat's right. Your father must have been a very schmart man."

Suddenly a warm feeling for this man suffused Mr. George. He liked him. Genuine, honest—and he had referred to him twice as a "young man." Flattering, for Mr. George was past 40!

He opened the plans to study them, but Mr. Schwantzganz pushed them aside. "I like you, young man," he said. "You are a schmart man. I want that you should supply the best of everything for the house. I pay you one thousand dollars now and when the materials come, I pay you immediately C. O. D. That is, all right?"

Mr. George entered into the building of that house with enthusiasm, he wanted everything to be right for Mr. Schwantzganz, and the sale totaled something like seven thousand dollars.

Yes, learn to remember names. It will forever stand you in good stead.

THIS WEEK IN Washington

OUTSTANDING during the past weeks in congressional circles was the vote by which Dean Acheson was confirmed by the senate as secretary of state—63 to 0.

Factor was that every senator was anxious to dissociate himself with the public hearing on the Acheson nomination which broke a precedent of more than 100 years in the government. Of those six senators who voted against him, Homer Capehart and William E. Jenner of Indiana had not as yet apparently weighed the Indiana vote on last November 2. For that vote swept in a Democratic governor and an entire Democratic state ticket and came within something like 15,000 votes of sweeping the state for Truman—a state which had been doped as 150,000 for the Republican ticket.

Mr. Capehart and Jenner had cannot read the figures on the score board, according to observers here in Washington. La Follette of North Dakota, of course, is against any American foreign policy and his vote was not anticipated.

The two votes which could not be tabulated to any degree of certainty were those of Sen. William V. Knowland of California and Styles Bridges of New Hampshire. Knowland followed the line of several influential newspapers in his state—influential insofar as Knowland is concerned but not otherwise—and of course Bridges has always been unpredictable.

Sen. Kenneth Wherry has been consistently wrong on foreign policy ever since he has been in the senate. His vote against Acheson followed his vote against Acheson when he came up for approval as undersecretary of state in the 80th congress. At least Wherry is consistent.

In a reshuffling of committee assignments as radical as possible in the senate system, Democrats in house and senate have set committees which will put through the Truman program. There the rule may come, insofar as the administration is concerned, is in the senate and house appropriations and finance committees which will furnish the money to carry out the program enacted by the congress. For instance, on the senate finance committee there are two new members, Clyde A. Hoey of North Carolina and J. Howard McGrath, the Democratic national committee chairman. Besides these two, the

committee includes Scott W. Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic floor leader. Then there are Walter George of Georgia, Tom Connally of Texas and Harry Byrd of Virginia. This Edwin C. Johnson of Colorado, plus George C. Marshall and John L. McClellan, who voted against the administration in the last congress.

The party ratio on the agricultural committee has gone from 7 to 6 up to 5 to 5. In other words there are eight Democrats and five Republicans on the new committee. The geographic representation has been somewhat broadened by the addition of freshman Sen. Clinton Anderson of New Mexico, former secretary of agriculture, Iowa constituency on the committee with Guy M. Gillette, Democrat, taking over the post of George A. Wilson whom Gillette defeated in November. Chairman Elmer Thomas of Oklahoma says he favors a rigid 90 per cent of parity program instead of the present sliding scale as posed by the House-Akin long range farm act. Others may change their minds as old Thomas who during the last session voted for the flexible parity price program.

Sen. Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, a Republican of course, has a refreshing and probably new concept of Democrats and Republicans. Says Senator Smith: "Basically there is no difference between the rank and file of the Democrats and the rank and file of the Republicans of this country. Equally there is no difference between the consciences and morals of the big labor and those of the big business. Control of a political party by either big labor or big business is equally wrong and should be opposed by the people. The political parties belong to all the people, not just to the more articulate pressure groups."

The present rent control law expires March 31. Sen. Francis J. Myers of Pennsylvania, the Democratic senate whip, has introduced a bill which would put new construction under rent control, establish control over converted housing units and permanent hotel accommodations including apartment hotels, prohibit new leases providing higher rent, give the government the right to regulate evictions and restore to the housing expediter the right to sue violators for triple damages and on criminal grounds.

"Inscrutable Dilemma"



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WHO REMEMBERS . . . when the medicine shows came to town? You could have a tooth or two extracted free if you'd go up on the stage to be a guinea pig for a demonstration of painless dentistry. You could have corns or bunions removed painlessly, too. Between acts they sold snake oil, tooth powder and other patented medicines and drugs.

...when the right and left shoes were made identical and could be worn on either foot? This made it possible to wear down the heels evenly.

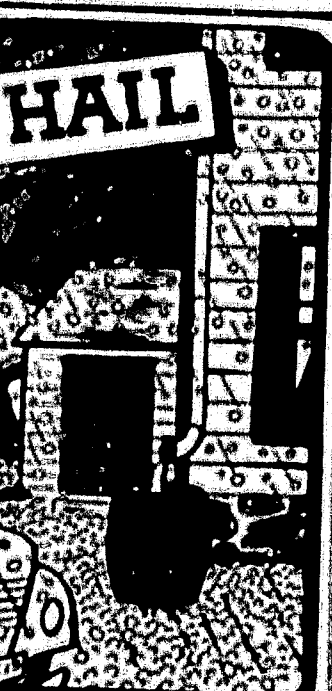
...when the American Boy magazine featured photographs of Cromwell Dixon experimenting with a bicycle-aeroplane? In those times aeroplanes were still pipe dreams and we were sufficiently jaded over such wonders as the telephone, electric lights that replaced gas mantles and door bells that we could make by using salamonnac wet batteries in glass jars. When mother was talking on the old wall-type telephone (perhaps standing on tip-toe) we would hold the green receiver wire—and pinch it and wonder why it didn't stop the conversation.

...when women wore merry widow hats with big, broad brims and long hat pins sticking out? No matter how dared to molest a girl in those days. In a crowded street car the hat pin stuck out farther than the lady's bustle.

...when some boy's marbles got on the loose and clattered all over the floor of the classroom, causing a terrible racket? Severe disciplinary measures always followed. Or, how the girls in the class would snicker, swallow their chewing gum and then ask to be excused from the room?

...when the ferris wheel on the midway of the 1903 World Columbian exposition in Chicago was dismantled and later removed to the St. Louis fair where it was reassembled? The wheel was 230 feet in diameter and had 36 cars with a capacity of six persons each. It revolved on an axle 33 inches in diameter and 45 feet long and weighed 54 tons, and the St. Louis fair it was wrecked and sold as scrap metal.

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Hail falls almost exclusively in connection with thunderstorms. Large hailstones generally have a hollow center, surrounded by layers of ice which may be alternately clear and cloudy.

your brain budget

- 1.—The United States weather bureau is a part of the department of (a) interior, (b) commerce, (c) agriculture.
- 2.—Philip Nolan is the principal character in (a) "The Ox-Bow Incident," (b) "The Man Without a Country," (c) "The Man Who Sailed the Globe."
- 3.—Hans Christian Andersen, the writer of fairy tales, was a native of (a) Sweden, (b) Denmark, (c) Norway.
- 4.—The Berillon system is a method of (a) criminal investigation, (b) bookkeeping, (c) shorthand.
- 5.—The first state to secede from the union was (a) South Carolina, (b) Maryland, (c) Virginia.

ANSWERS

- 1.—(b) Commerce.
- 2.—(c) "The Man Without a Country."
- 3.—(b) Denmark.
- 4.—(a) Criminal investigation.
- 5.—(a) South Carolina.

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NORTH NEWRY

Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent
Mrs. Ella Cole of Locke Mills had supper with her parents, Mr and Mrs H H Hanscom, Sunday night. Mervin Rowland has a 1946 Chrysler sedan.

Mrs. Albert Morton's mother, Mrs. Earl Cummings of Bethel, is caring for her and young daughter, Rebecca Frances.

Willard Wight and family and Johnnie Wight were Sunday guests of Mrs. Wight's parents, Mr and Mrs. Ban Barnett, at Upton, Sunday.

Miss Carrie M. Wight returned home Tuesday from Framingham, Mass., where she spent several weeks with Mr and Mrs. George Wight.

Mrs. Annie Merrill, Lecturer of Bear River Grange, is attending the Lecturers' Conference at Waterville this week.

Mr and Mrs L E Wight, Mr and Mrs Willard Wight, Johnnie Wight, Floyd Staples, Malcolm Barnett, Bertha Davis, son Norman, Isabelle Libby, Louise Learned, son Leroy, and daughters, Barbara and Patricia, attended the Recreational Council at the Grange Hall, Newry Corner, Friday evening, Jan. 28. Old Fashioned and Folk Dances were enjoyed by all who were present. The council was in charge of Mrs. Alice Dudley of Bryant Pond.

Not A Pleasant Outlook

by George Peck

Beaming out of a very dark potato situation, (dark, that is, for the American taxpayer), there is one bright ray of sunshine.

After permitting Canada to ship 7 million bushels of potatoes to this country during this current year, while purchasing 22 million bushels of potatoes from our own American potato-growers, our Government awoke from its coma, or whatever it was that ailed it. It suddenly realized the absurdity of spending the American taxpayers' money to take Canada's surplus potatoes off her hands—at a very fancy price.

So, having tumbled at long last to the folly of supporting potato prices in both Canada and the United States, word was passed along to the Canadian authorities that Uncle Sam would be forced to cut off this flood of un-needed potatoes into the United States.

And, here's the bright ray of sunshine in the dark potato picture. "Toronto Saturday Night," in its issue of December 4, 1948, carried an editorial entitled "Hot Potatoes" in which it said in part:

"In the United States, the heavy crop has pushed prices down to the FLOOR set by Congress. Prices fell here, too, but were cushioned by exports to the United States where, in effect, Canadian potatoes came to rest on the American FLOOR. This, naturally, did not suit the U S authorities who were paying out U S taxpayers' money to support Canadian prices."

"The flow from this country had to be stopped and RELUCTANTLY OTTAWA UNDERTOOK THE JOB. If there had to be temporary controls at the border, it is better

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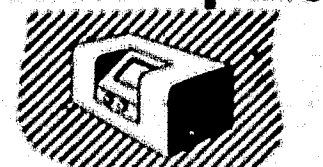
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that we, rather than the Americans, should administer them for them we can, at least, be sure that they will be taken off when their purpose has been served."

So, there you have the pleasant spectacle of the Canadian Government beating us to the punch, by its taking the necessary action to remedy a situation with it realized was unfair to the taxpayers of the United States.

This incident definitely proves that nations can amicably settle their differences if they have the will and the spirit to do so. It is to be hoped that this lesson in good international relations will come to the attention of every member of the United Nations.

And now that Canada voluntarily has shut off the flow of her surplus potatoes to this country, what

does she propose to do with that surplus? She has guaranteed to Canadian potato growers that next spring she will buy whatever potatoes are left over after the winter. Canadian taxpayers will take over where U S taxpayers left off.

And, at what conclusion does "Toronto Saturday Night" arrive regarding all this? It hits the nail squarely on the head in the final paragraph of its editorial, which reads as follows:

"What has happened to potatoes may well happen in one form or another to any farm product. This is what PRICE SUPPORT and FLOOR PRICES get us in for as the world food supply gradually climbs back to normal and as farm prices fall back into a more normal relation with other prices. It is not a pleasant outlook."

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Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent

Mr and Mrs Linwood Emmons, nee Eleanor Vetkusky, are rejoicing on the birth of a son on January 28, at Norway Hospital.

Mrs. Cora Record of South Paris who is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Little Ford and who has been ill since Saturday is gaining.

Clyde Dunham is recovering from an injury to his leg received while cutting logs the first of the month. Mrs. Little Ford has been called to North Abington, Mass., by illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. Glover.

Mrs. Adelaide Litter has resumed her duties in the post office after several weeks absence due to surgery.

Boy Scout Troop 160 held its regular meeting on Tuesday evening, February 1, with Scoutmaster Verne Corkum, Assistant Scoutmaster Norwood Ford and 13 boys present. They were: Hugh Swan, assistant patrol leader; Dean Bennett, Verne Corkum, Lloyd Cole, Albert Cross, Clarence Howe, Arnold Jordan, Carroll Melville, Gary Melville, Julius Robinson, Kenneth Swan, Edmund Mason and Paul Bartlett, scribe.

The meeting was taken up with preparations for Scout Week which will start next Sunday. Sunday, February 6, the troop and troop committeemen are to attend church in a group.

On Monday night the troop will meet to complete plans for the meeting on the following night. The meeting to be held on Tuesday, Feb. 8, will be an investiture ceremony, also demonstrations of different Scout skills and a program to especially commemorate the Birthday of Scouting. At the same time all over the world scouts and scouters will be following the same procedure.

The boys have an interesting program and all parents and the public are invited. Why not come and see what the boys have? Also watch for the window displays in Rand's Store.

Also of interest was the monthly meeting Sunday evening of the local troop committee. Besides the regular business, the men had the privilege of reviewing eight boys on their requirements for 2nd class scouts. These boys will receive their badges at the program Tuesday night. Special emphasis was put on

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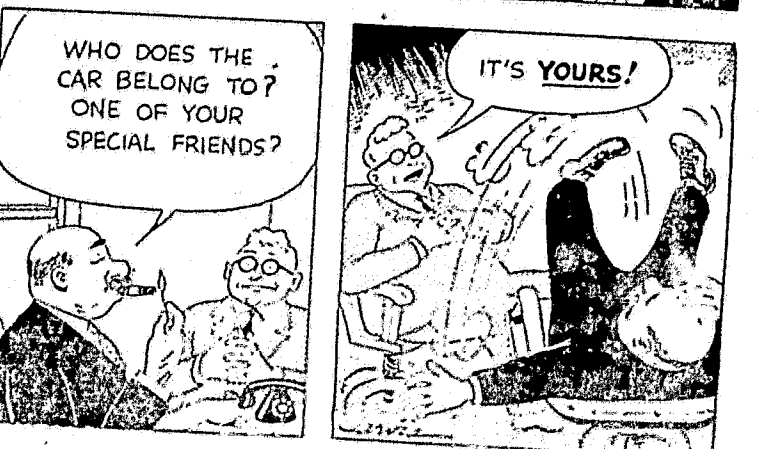
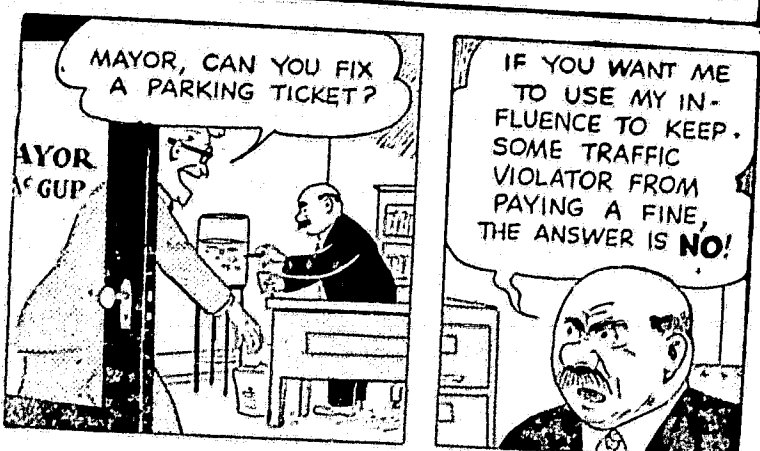
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Last Sunday the troop and some of the committeemen attended church at Bethel. Of special interest was the talk by Percy Dunn on "Youths of America."

Wednesday evening Feb. 9, the monthly meeting of the Mt. Mic.

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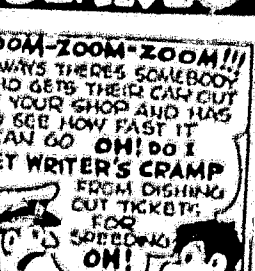
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Mr and Mrs Wayne Moore and daughter of South Paris were guests of Mrs Evelyn Harrington, Sunday.

Mrs Sybil Farrar had a "brush" party Friday night with Arthur Jordan of Rumford demonstrating. William Hastings is at home from the U of M for several days.
Virginia Hastings came Monday night from Bates College to spend a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs T D Hastings.

On Friday night, Feb. 11, the first of a series of three card parties to raise money to send the Farm Bureau delegate to Farm and Home week, will be held at the home of Mrs Rodney Howe. Prizes will be awarded for high and low scores at each party and a special prize for the highest score at the end of the series. Whist and sixty-three will be played. Everyone is invited. There will be a food sale after each card party.

Mr and Mrs Harry Kuzik, Mr and Mrs Dana Brooks, and Mr and Mrs Clayton Bane were dinner guests Wednesday evening of Mr and Mrs Rodney Howe.

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To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of February A D. 1949, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

James N. Farwell, late of Bethel, deceased; Petitioner for the appointment of Orlando B. Farwell as administrator of the estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by Orlando B. Farwell, father and next of kin.

Jennie Littlejohn, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Frank L. Littlejohn, executor.

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Cornelia A. Wheeler, late of Bethel, deceased; First and final account presented for allowance by Roger W. Wheeler, administrator.

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Mr. and Mrs. George J. Allen

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I wish to thank my friends, neighbors and Pleasant Valley Grange for the flowers, cards and other kindnesses during my recent illness and hospitalization.

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CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends and neighbors for their kindness shown me during my recent illness. Also the West Bethel Sunday School, Ladies Aid Society and Pleasant Valley Grange, for their remembrances.

Mrs. Ada Rolfe

BRYANT POND D. OF U. V. HOLDS INSTALLATION

The Daughters of Union Veterans met at the home of Mrs Inez Whitman Jan. 11 with 10 members present. This meeting was a special, as well as regular, as it was installation. Miss Clara Whitman, with the help of her guide, Mrs. Verna Swan, installed the officers in an able manner.

The officers are as follows: president, Mrs Beatrice Farnum; secretary, Mrs Ruth Dunham; junior vice-president, Mrs Helen King; chaplain, Miss Edith Whitman; treasurer, Mrs Beattie Andrews; council members No. 1, Miss Clara Whitman; No. 2, Mrs Inez Whitman; No. 3, Mrs Alice Wardwell, patriotic instructor, Mrs Kathleen Cox; secretary, Mrs Verna Swan; press correspondent, Mrs Mildred E. Dunham; guide, Mrs Edith Hathaway; guard, Miss Alice Farnum; musician, Mrs Mildred E. Dunham; color bearers, No. 1, Miss Alberta Dunham; No. 2, Miss Clara Whitman; No. 3, Miss Phyllis Hathaway; floral committee, Mrs Beattie Andrews, Mrs Inez Whitman and Mrs Verna Swan; visiting and relief committee, Miss Clara Whitman, Miss Edith Whitman, Mrs Arlene McKillop, Mrs Ruth Dunham, Mrs Iva Farrar and Mrs Laura Farrington.

Refreshments of ice cream and lemonade were served.

This was the first meeting of the New Year. The second meeting was held Jan. 25 with 12 members present at the same home. Patriotic instructor, Mrs Kathleen Cox, gave a reading in honor of William McKinley, after which a fish pond game was enjoyed. Refreshments of whipped cream cake, coffee, tea and milk were served.

Most delightful in the situation is Dr Wiley's lack of surprise at it all. He knows his people, and their gratitude has been showing for years. It has not been showing, impulsive gratitude, but a plodding, earnest sort which is there every day of the year but stands revealed in a spotlight only on special occasions. It actually is



PHYSICIAN AND HOSPITAL HE ORGANIZED — Dr. A. A. Wiley (insert) and the Buxton-Hollis Hospital he instituted a quarter of a century ago. Citizens of the twin towns

today seldom think of one without the other, so closely have the doctor and the hospital been associated through the years.

York Folk Pay Tribute To Dr. A. A. Wiley

Show Appreciation For Physician's Service And Hospital He Built

By Ted Dyer, Staff Correspondent, In the Portland Evening Express, Wednesday, January 26.

Bar Mills, Jan. 26.—The Buxton-Hollis Hospital stand tangible evidence in the building ability of Dr. A. A. Wiley, but greater and more impressive are evidences of intangibles of love and gratitude he has built among the people of his York County area.

His 75th birthday, Jan. 7, inspired a typical demonstration. Years ago that day was established by York folk as donation day for the hospital, for in some minds Dr Wiley and the hospital are in many respects one and the same.

Donation Day and Dr Wiley Day this year were highlighted by a supper served to more than 400 by the Hutchins-Boulter American Legion Unit, raising nearly \$200. Individuals visiting the hospital from miles around brought canned goods and other foodstuffs to a total of more than an additional \$300. Then, too, there were personal gifts to the doctor brought by friends old and young.

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rather a family affair.

Dr Wiley has been serving this area for 44 years, and has had the hospital for 24. After graduation from Bowdoin College and Bowdoin Medical School, he served as intern at Maine General Hospital, Portland. Soon he was considering a general practitioner with offices in Portland.

Weeks relating to the need for a young doctor in the Buxton-Hollis area and on completion of his internship, he came to York County. For a time he was associated in conducting a nursing home at Salmon Falls, but need of larger facilities was apparent. The present hospital originally was the home of a wealthy lumberman. Before Dr Wiley converted it for hospital use, he had a survey made by state authorities.

The inspector was astounded at the perfect layout of the building; wide corridors and stairs, and rooms ideally situated. He heartily approved the building for hospital use and asked Dr Wiley if it was originally planned as a hospital. It is now rated at 12 beds, with 15 for emergencies.

Dr Wiley continues to be active. He is bothered a bit at times by a knee injury which he suffered while football coach at Gould Academy many years ago. A native of Bethel, he was graduated at Gould before entering Bowdoin and later returned there to add the pigskin battles. The smile in his eye when he talks of that period of football

bespeaks his love of the sport.

He has enjoyed, through the years, swapping visits with friends in and out of his profession. The late Dr David E. Dolloff of Biddeford was one of these. And another is Dr Henry E. Brock, formerly a general practitioner with offices in Portland.

Dr Wiley visited Dr Brock shortly after forest fires had nearly wiped out Brock's place at Lyman. Since retirement, Dr Brock has enjoyed more time in his lifelong hobby of taxidermy, but a fire destroyed all his tools. With pleasure Dr Wiley was able to provide some substitutes and on a recent visit found Dr Brock completing an outstanding job of taxidermy on a red-headed woodpecker and other small birds.

That ability to provide for needs of his people, as a general practitioner, and even beyond his classification, even to taxidermy tools

in an emergency, perhaps has something to do with his friends' esteem of Dr Wiley.

To Dr Wiley himself, he apparently is only a fellow who has had steady employment at work he enjoys. The world in any day could use all the Dr Wileys the mills of the gods could produce.

LIFE PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBIT AT GOULD ACADEMY

THE MEDIEVAL WORLD, a photographic exhibition prepared by the editors of LIFE, will be shown at Gould Academy for two weeks, beginning Feb. 1 and continuing through Feb. 15. This exhibition is made up of photographs which were published in the April 7th and current issues of LIFE, and also includes many pictures that had to be omitted from the magazine for lack of space.

MARKETING with Marjorie

Coming soon: Washington's Birthday, Lincoln's, and many more. For February is the month of famous birthdays—and it can be a month of famous food values for you—if you depend on dollar-stretching A&P for your food needs. And here are four delicious tips—ideas for future shopping trips:

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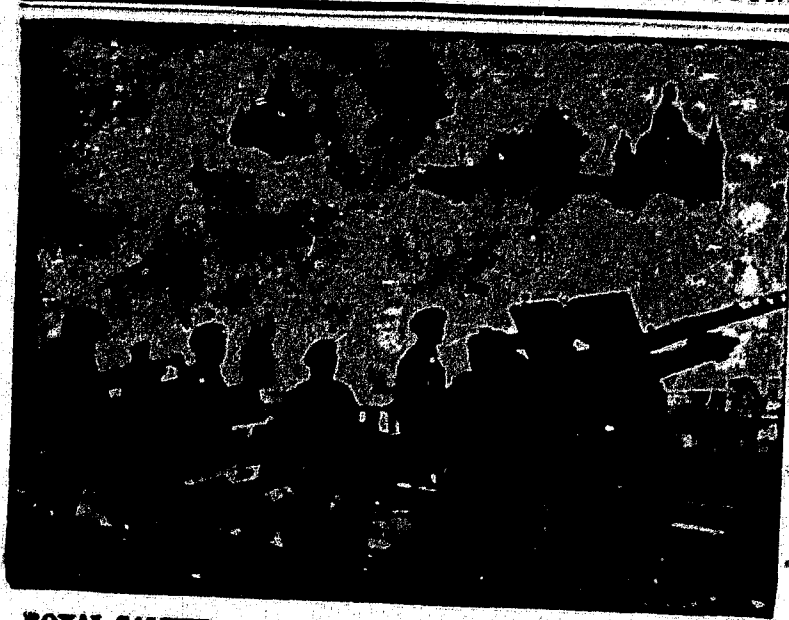
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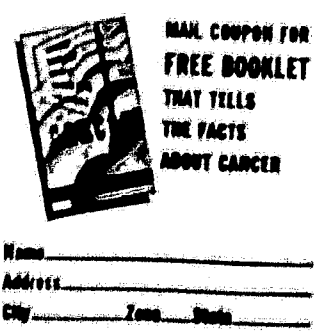
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ory, Miss Ann Griggs, Mrs Willard Boynton, Miss Helen Varner; Harlan, Mrs Ernest Scothorne; Mrs Harlan Hutchins, Mrs Kimball Ames, Mrs Robert Scott, Mrs Grace Macfarlane, Mrs Lancelot Cooke; Aprons, Mrs Addison Saunders, Mrs Richard Waldron, Mrs Wallace Coolidge, Mrs Frances Bennett, Mrs Roland Glines, Mrs Water Tinkander, Mrs Lawrence Lord, Mrs Gerald Kneeland; Flowers, Mrs John Howe, Mrs Louis Van, Mrs K W Hawthorne; Grabs, Mrs Marvel Hanscom, Miss Ida Packard, Miss Julia Brown, Mrs Olive Lurvey; Food, Mrs Herbert Rowe, Mrs Ralph Moore, Mrs Robert Lord, Miss Harriett Merrill, Miss Ben-trice Brown, Mrs Roy More; Tea, Mrs Harry Kuzik, Mrs Frank Nary, Mrs Elwood Ireland, Mrs Charles Gorman, Mrs Harry Swift, Mrs Gayle Foster; Publicity, Mrs Walter Tinkander, Mrs Gerald Kneeland, Mrs George Lothrop; Candy, Mrs Norris Brown, Mrs Henry Hastings, Mrs Francis Noyes; Program, Mrs Isaac Dyer, Mrs Katharine Adams, Mrs Norman Greig.

A plan for a Hope Chest for the sale was proposed and it was decided that each member bring handkerchiefs to the next meeting. It was suggested that there be handwork on them if possible—embroidered ones for children, lace edges etc.

Ten dollars was voted to the school lunch program. The next meeting is Gentlemen's Night, Feb. 9, and a pot luck supper will be served by Mrs Olive Lurvey, Mrs Grace Macfarlane, Mrs Marvel Hanscom, Mrs Errol Donahue, Mrs Gayle Foster and Mrs Roy Moore. Mrs Harry Swift will have devotions. The program committee is Mrs John Howe, Mrs Katharine Adams, Miss Helen Varner and Mrs Herbert Rowe.

PURITY CHAPTER, O. E. S.

Preceding the meetings of the Eastern Star and Ways and Means Club Wednesday evening supper was served by Patricia Bennett and Carlie Bryant, assisted by Doris Bryant and Gertrude Boyker.

At the meeting of the Ways and Means Club the annual reports were given and the following officers elected: president, Harriett Noyes; vice-president, Ada Conner; secretary and treasurer, Helen Morton. It was decided to hold a public card party in the dining room Feb. 17. Committee: Harriett Noyes, Rita Davis, Marguerite Clark, Dorothy Christie, Phyllis Dock and Doris Bryant. The committee to serve supper for the Macons Feb. 10, is Adeline Dexter, Helen Morton, Rita Davis, Marguerite Clark, Lucia Tinkander and Barbara Bryant.

The meeting adjourned to the hall where the lodge meeting was held. Past Matron Ada Conner was appointed installing officer to install Grace Macfarlane as Ruth Degree work was exemplified with Mary Chadbourne, Richard Bryant and Walter Tinkander receiving the degrees of the order. The program committee, Doris Bryant and Lucia Tinkander conducted guessing games, followed by refreshments of hot coffee and cake.

The next meeting will be March 2 when the degree will be conferred. The supper committee will be Doris Bryant, Elsie Waldron and Kay Eames; clean-up, Gertrude Boyker and Ada Durell; program, Ruby and Chester Briggs.

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SKI SAFETY

The Bethel Ski and Outing Club held a meeting of their directors Tuesday evening to hash over the problems of the newly developed ski tow. The consensus was that the tow was doing very well both in cancelling the expenses and also furnishing a great deal of pleasure to all concerned.

It was decided for safety's sake to have one senior member of the club and one junior on duty at all times when the tow is running. And also for safety's sake we would like to encourage the younger skiers to take advantage of the free skiing made available for them in the mornings any day the tow is operating. This would lessen the congestion in the afternoons and would be much safer for all concerned.

Last week end the tow really proved itself to be worthy of all the effort that we all put into it. Besides the regular enthusiasts from town there were skiers from many of the surrounding towns such as Gorham, Rumford and Paris. On Saturday morning 54 youngsters took advantage of the free instruction given them by Jim Thorpe from the Maine Ski Association.

SKI EXCHANGE

Harlan Hutchins has volunteered his services for the sake of helping solve one of our problems. Many of the youngsters do not have

skis and poles and consequently cannot take advantage of these wonderful facilities. What Harlan wants to do is to operate a ski exchange where people who have ski equipment no longer of any use to them can leave it at his house for the use of those who have none. Many of us have skis in our attics that could be in use. Also this exchange will enable anyone to take their skis, poles or boots and exchange them for ones that are nearer the proper sizes. There will be no charge for these services. Dig out those old skis folks.

Information Bureau at Roadside Grille. Call and tell them if you have overnight accommodations. They will have such information as ski conditions, where visitors can stay, tow rates, etc.

PARKING A PROBLEM

Henry Westleigh has kindly offered us the use of his adjoining land for a parking area. The visibility is excellent from this area. There will be no parking on the main road because of the congestion of traffic.

Skating on Thursday evenings from now on, 7:30—9:30, 50c.

Free skating for youngsters any morning tow is operating. 50c any afternoon.

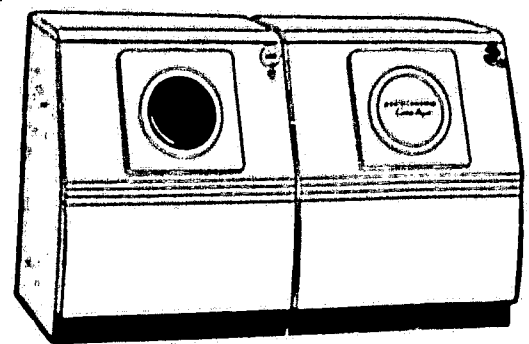
There will be free ski instruction Saturday morning furnished to the youngsters by a competent ski instructor.



EX-KING TWOSOME AT PLAY ... Two exponents of the old adage, "Uneasy lies the head that wears a crown," ex-King Leopold of Belgium and the Duke of Windsor, famed as the monarch who jettisoned a throne for the love of a woman, enjoy a round of golf on the Cannes, France, course. The Duke appears a little unhappy at the moment, but the photographer reports that his gloom was occasioned by nothing more serious than a poor shot.

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GLAD IT HAPPENED A SHORT-SHORT STORY

By RICHARD H. WILKINSON

"THERE are some things," said the girl, "that money can't buy."

Paul stared at her, conscious of a sinking sensation inside of him. It was again, that damnable reference to his money, the implication that he measured all things, even human emotions, with dollars and cents.

The girl hugged on her bathing cap. Paul said: "I'm sorry. My reputation has apparently preceded me."

He had arrived at the hotel that morning. He hadn't met or talked



Janice informed the desk clerk that she'd like to speak to Paul Thompson on a room phone.

with a soul save middle-aged and portly Van Sayre, whose invention he had come down to investigate. Compelling his business with Van Sayre, he had walked down to the beach and saw the girl with the sea-colored hair. He had only meant to be friendly.

"It has," said the girl, tartly. "It's hard to believe that any man, even a dumb rich one, would think he could escape himself in the eyes of a girl simply by agreeing to finance some uncle's worthless invention. Some girls still do have pride, you know."

She turned abruptly, heading for the water. Paul, his eyes wide, watched her wade in, dive gracefully through a breaking wave, and strike out for the float. His mouth closed firmly. A cold hardness came into his eyes. There was a determination in his stride as he hurried back toward the hotel.

Portly Henry Van Sayre was contentedly musing over the pleasant idea that the royalties on his invention would buy when the door opened and his benefactor strode inside. Henry did not like the expression in his benefactor's eyes. Too often he had seen such an expression before—in the eyes of other possible invention-financiers.

"I'm retracting my offer," Paul said abruptly. "I'm no longer interested in you or your bright ideas. Especially am I not interested in any such-colored haired niece you might have."

Dangling her bright red bathing cap as she headed back toward the hotel, Janice Van Sayre thought idly: "It was nice, though. What a pity he tried to buy my interest. Oh, why do there have to be millionaires with such ideas, and why did I have to have an uncle who invents silly things that nobody ever can use?"

She was in a strangely depressed mood as she mounted the veranda steps. The mood vanished at sight of Uncle Henry bearing down on her from the lobby entrance. She knew the signs. This time she was in for it and in for it plenty.

"You idiot! Paul Thompson didn't even know I had a niece!"

"Now, Uncle, you can't make me believe that. It isn't the first time you've used me to promote interest among your prospects."

"You've ruined my chances twice before because of your so-called pride. This time you've made a fool of yourself. Thompson and I had been corresponding for weeks. He wanted that gadget of mine. He arrived this morning unexpectedly. How could he know I had a niece? If you don't believe me, I'll show you our correspondence."

Janice sat down. She felt she would have fallen if she didn't. Her uncle was telling the truth. He had never lied to her. Accused, he had previously always admitted his artifice. She felt humiliated and cheap and altogether foolish. There was only one thing to do.

Twenty minutes later, attractively dressed, Janice informed the desk clerk that she'd like to speak to Paul Thompson on a room phone.

"Mr. Thompson left a half hour ago."

Janice felt defeat, and defeat gave her a desperate, gully sensation. "Where can I reach him? He must have left a forwarding address."

The room clerk shook his head. "Mr. Thompson always has his mail forwarded to his New York office. His secretary handles it."

Janice bit her lip. It wasn't as easy as she hoped. Still, in a way, it would prove the sincerity of her purpose. If she were put to some trouble, she called Paul Thompson's office on long distance. A woman answered. Mr. Brown, Mr. Thompson's secretary had gone to Ocean Side for the week-end. No, she didn't know where Mr. Thompson could be reached.

Janice hurried from the hotel. The regular afternoon amphibian was just about to take off for Ocean side. There was one seat left. She reached the resort at 4 P. M., spent an hour locating Mr. Brown, only to learn that he hadn't the faintest

idea where Paul Thompson was. Depressed, Janice returned by train. Now the sense of defeat was overpowering. She would never, she knew, have any peace of mind until she had accomplished her purpose. Tomorrow she would call New York again. She would call every day until she was able to locate Paul Thompson.

After dinner she went down to the beach, feeling unhappy and remorseful. A figure came toward her. "Well, Miss Money Maker!"

She gasped. Hot anger surged inside of her. She suppressed the impulse to retort.

"You're here! I've gone to no end of trouble to locate you. I want to apologize. I'm really sorry. I didn't know that—that."

"That I wasn't aware your uncle had a beautiful niece?"

She waited. He said: "Let's forget it. I understand. Even rich men have pride. That's why I left so impulsively. When I cooled off, I saw your point and came back. I wanted to apologize."

"They looked at each other, there in the moonlight, and suddenly both were glad it had happened. Uncle Henry figured not at all in this little thing that each had found."

GREENWOOD CENTER

Mrs. Beryl Martin, Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Krasn from Auburn were visitors of Mrs. Krasn's mother, Mrs. Harold Church, Sunday.

Lillian Cole was sick and called the doctor last week.

John Chase of Locke Mills visited Carson and Colby Martin, Saturday.

Leland Farr of Rumford was a visitor in this vicinity over the week end.

Holly Cushman was a caller on this side of the lake last week.

Harold Churchill is working at Norway for Wilner Wood Heel Co.

Daniel Cole has harvested his ice. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mills and son, Dwight, from Locke Mills were callers in this vicinity Sunday.

Rex Martin of Harrison was a recent visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Churchill and Leland Farr were in Bethel to the pictures Sunday evening.



THROTTLING . . . A boy's dream came true for Jimmy Colclough of Canastota, N. Y., when he rode in the cab of the Empire State express. It was part of honors given him for detecting a break in the New York Central railroad's main track near his home.

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1 cup enriched corn meal
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 beaten egg
1 1/2 cups buttermilk

Sift together dry ingredients. Add beaten egg and buttermilk to dry ingredients, beating until smooth. Pour one tablespoon of batter for each cake onto a well greased iron skillet. Bake until brown, turning only once. (If batter gets too thick, add a little more buttermilk). Serve with honey or maple syrup.

Crossword

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11 Ancient language

12 To detect

15 Early settlement

16 Small share

17 About of a track

18 Estimation of current

19 Antlered side

21 Pelina

22 Simian

23 Son of Adam

25 Conning screen

26 To submit

27 To authority

28 Chess piece

29 Female sheep

30 Point's measure

31 Plurality of

32 European river

34 To cask with

36 Vase

37 Seed

38 Slender

39 Condemned

40 To couple

41 To entangle

42 To smelly

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BRYANT POND

—Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Correspondent

Jefferson Chapter, OES, held semi-public installation ceremonies Thursday evening, Jan. 27, at Masonic Hall.

A chicken pie supper was served preceding the meeting under the chairmanship of Mrs. Addelyn Mann.

Past Patron Frank Bean was the installing officer, assisted by Past Matron Silvia Judkins as Marshal and PM Jeannette Tobbetts as chaplain. Mrs. Beth Abbott was pianist and Marie Ring soloist. Officers installed were Ruth Tyler, worthy matron; Harold Tyler, worthy patron; Cora Bennett, associate matron; Elden Hathaway, associate patron; Ida Farnum, secretary; Addelyn Mann, treasurer; Eva B. Twitchell, conductress; Annie Bryant, chaplain; Frances Farnum, marshal; Ruby Ring, Adah; Hazel Newell, Ruth; Cecile Clemons, Esther; Edith Hathaway, Martha; Elsie Bennett, Electa; Luella Mills, Warder and Onell Mills, Sentinel. Mrs. Adelaide Lister, the organist, was unable to be present. The retiring worthy matron and worthy patron, Mrs. Frances Farnum and Homer Farnum were presented officers' jewels by the newly installed worthy matron and patron.

Mrs. Mildred Delap, Miss Helen Johnson and Mrs. Kathleen Cox

were at Lewiston Saturday. Dexter Stowell and Miss Sally Stowell, both students at the University of Maine, Orono, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr and Mrs H. Kirke Stowell.

Mrs. Florence Cushman accompanied her son, Claude Cushman, to Auburn Monday afternoon, where they called to see her son, Robert Cushman.

Gilman Whitman has been appointed 4-H Club agent for Oxford County to succeed Keith Bates.

Mr and Mrs Stephen Chase and little daughter have returned from California, and are guests of his parents, Mr and Mrs Alden Chase, and Mrs Chase's parents, Mr and Mrs W. H. Edminister, at Norway.

MIDDLE INTERVALE

—Mrs. Augustus Carter, Correspondent

Miss Elizabeth Ward of Lewiston spent the week end with her parents, Mr and Mrs Willis Ward.

Mr and Mrs Raymond Buck were in Boston, Mass., to attend the Poultry Show on Jan. 15.

Mrs. Augustus Carter is assisting Mrs. Elmer Bean at the Primary School.

Mrs. Richard Carter was in Lewiston Friday.

Mr and Mrs Dana Jackson and son, Dennis, were callers at Augustus Carter's Wednesday evening.

Hoyt Gunther was home from C. Pond over the week end.

SOUTH BETHEL

Mr and Mrs Merrill Barker were recent callers in Wentworth Location, at the home of Mr and Mrs Malcolm Harvey.

Mr and Mrs Freeman Stevens are the parents of a son, born Jan. 21, in Norway.

Mrs. Gertrude Cole has employment in a shoe shop at Norway.

Mrs. Bernice Wermenchuk of Bryant Pond and Mr and Mrs Merrill Barker were business callers in North Anson one day last week.

Mr and Mrs Albert Raymond, who have been living in Sumner are staying with Charles Mason. They expect to move to Crazy Knoll in Locke Mills soon.

Ernest Brooks is confined to his home by illness.

George Knight has been inducted into the army and left Jan. 17, to be stationed in New Jersey.

Charles Libby and family have moved into the rent recently vacated by Mr and Mrs Lawrence Segalson.

Mrs. Ivy Tyler was a week end guest of Mrs. Daniel Hinkley.

Robert Gordon was home from Mount Vernon over the week end.

UPTON

—Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent

Kondrjek Judkins was home from Rumford over the week end.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Verrill and friends of East Providence, R. I., and Mr Verrill's mother and father of West Paris were at their camp Saturday of last week.

George Angevine was taken very ill Sunday morning and rushed to the hospital at Togus by ambulance. He died late Sunday night and will be buried here Wednesday afternoon after services at the church.

Fred Judkins recently dressed a veal calf.

Donald Fraser returned last Saturday from the Veterans' Hospital at Togus, where he has been for the last five weeks.

There will be no school here Wednesday of this week because of the funeral.

Albert Judkins, Rene Polchat, Harold Fuller and Leslie Fuller are working for Cleve West on his logging job on the Andover road.

SUNDAY RIVER

—Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Correspondent

We are wondering what is to be found in February as we have had pussy-willows since New Years day. Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds tapped a maple tree and made syrup and a very cheerful robin greets us nearly every morning if it is not storming but the ground hog hasn't been seen yet.

Mary Foster has been having a cold and not feeling quite so good.

Marjorie Nowlin is under the care of a doctor.

Dana Bean came home sick from school recently.

Edith Bailey called on her sister, Mrs. Bessie Reynolds, recently.

Miles Brookes and children, Miles Jr., and Florence of Gorham, Maine, were Sunday callers at R. M. Fleet's.

SKILLINGTON

Edwin Swain was home from Bates College over the week end.

Miss Maxine Ayer of Naples spent Saturday with Mrs. John Wight.

Miss Reona Bean was confined by illness the first of the week.

Mrs. Daisy McAllister spent the week end in Norway.

Mr and Mrs William Young of Locke Mills called at Harold Young's and Robert Baker's, Sunday.

John Wight was home last week with a cold. He went to work Monday.

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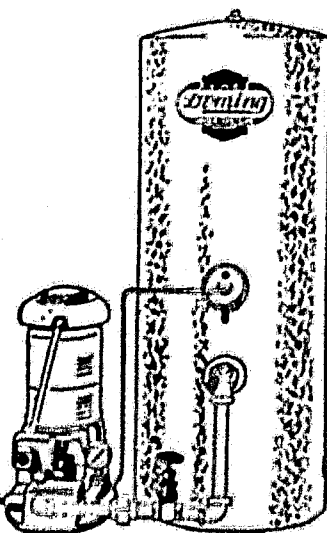
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IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

—continued from page one—
Francis Berry will participate in "Honky Tonk," an ice review to be presented in connection with the Outing Club Winter Carnival at Bates College, Feb. 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Again this winter the excellent condition of the main highways in the area covered by our local plowing crews is frequently noted by the traveling public.

Mr and Mrs George Schoola, Mrs Mary Ladd and Mrs Helen Perkins were in West Stewartstown Sunday, called there by the critical illness of Mr Schoola's father, Henry Schoola.

Dr and Mrs J A Matheson entertained at contract Monday evening. Those present were Mr and Mrs Kimball Ames, Mr and Mrs Dana Brooks, Mr and Mrs Richard Waldron, Mr and Mrs Clayton Fossett, and Mr and Mrs Philip Chadbourne. Prizes for high score were won by Mrs Brooks and Mr Ames and the consolation prizes by Mrs Fossett and Mr Chadbourne. Mrs Ames won the traveling prize.

Mrs Robert Billings and Mrs Melvin Kimball were hostesses to the Eleanor Gordon Guild January 20 at the church. A tasting party was enjoyed followed by a social evening with games. Committees for the next meeting were appointed as follows: hostesses, Mrs Ernest Gallant, Mrs Raymond Tripp, program, Mrs Wallace Saunders, Mrs Robert Davis, Mrs Robert York will be in charge of the decorations.

About 150 was realized at the 17th silver card party held last Thursday evening at the primary school building for the benefit of the school lunch program. Prizes were awarded as follows: Contract, high, Mrs Wilbur Myers, Dr John Matheson, second, Mrs Charles Gorman, Wilbur Myers, consolation, Wallace Saunders, high, Mrs E P Brown, consolation, Mrs Ted Gallant, sixty three high, Mrs Willis Ward consolation, Mrs Stanley Brown, Mrs Richard Waldron won the door prize.

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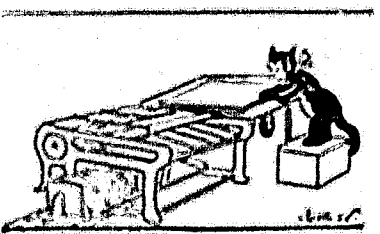
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BENNETT ELECTED HEAD OF COUNTY DHA

Ninety-seven dairymen attended the annual meeting of the Oxford County Dairy Herd Improvement Association held at Norway Grange Hall, Thursday, Jan. 27. President Philip Andrews of Fryeburg called the meeting to order and, after reports by secretary-treasurer Harold Bennett of Bethel, president Andrews led a discussion of the Highmoor Show. It was voted that a committee be appointed to study the possibilities of a County Dairy Show to create more interest in the Highmoor Show.

At the election of directors, Harold Bennett of Bethel, Francis Putnam of Rumford, Warren S. Abbott of Rumford, Robert Hill of Fryeburg, and W. Henry Allen of Kenyon were re-elected. New directors are: Shirley Benson of Fryeburg for one year; Frank Evans of Bridgton for three years; Howard Sturtevant of South Paris for two years, and Kenneth Cooper of Buckfield for three years.

At a meeting of the new directors, Harold Bennett of Bethel was elected president, and Robert Hill of Fryeburg was elected secretary-treasurer.

The annual report was discussed by county agent-at-large Gilbert Jaeger, who pointed out that the average cow in the association produced 21 lbs. of milk and 2 lbs. of fat more than last year. The return per dollar of feed cost was 23 cents less than a year ago.

County agent Leonard discussed the progress in dairying through production testing and noted that the association was one of the largest in the state.

Dick Talbot, dairy specialist, discussed green pastures and the method of scoring the green pasture contest.

E. C. Moore, D. V. M., of Lewiston then discussed causes of breeding troubles and dissected specimens in order to show how troubles might arise.

BORN

In Norway, Jan. 28, to Mr and Mrs Linwood Emmons of Locke Mills, a son.

In Norway, Jan. 21, to Mr and Mrs Freeman Stevens of Bethel, a son.

MARRIED

In Locke Mills, Jan. 27, Delwin R. Long and Mrs Merle Edith Holt.

In Bethel, Jan. 30, by Rev K W Hawthorne, Leland Brown and Miss Barbara May Dougherty.

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A Tribute

Seldom has our town been so shocked and saddened as it was by the sudden and tragic death of Everett Bean. It is not easy to realize that a life so full of bright dreams for the future has been cut off in its prime.

Everett deeply loved nature and the out-of-doors. Even as a small boy, his liking for flowers was outstanding. It was his great delight as a child to find somewhere a lovely bouquet and come bringing it proudly home to present it to his mother.

His classes at the agricultural school he attended in Massachusetts were always an adventure; he keenly enjoyed every phase of that type of work. Later on he found joy and inspiration in his employment at landscape gardening, and more recently in his well-cared-for apple orchard on Grover Hill, he spent long and busy but happy hours.

Early in life he became a member of the Baptist Church. From then on his religious views and practices were steadfastly established. Very faithfully he attended every meeting of the Men's Brotherhood in the local Methodist Church. Guests of the family say that regardless of how busy or hurried he was, he never failed to say a devout grace at mealtime with his wife and little daughter reverently joining him in thus blessing their food.

Not only was Everett a thoughtful and devoted son, husband and father, but he was an accommodating, helpful neighbor. One will never forget his kindly smile and genuine gestures of friendliness.

"There is no time that we could set for parting. We who must remain are never ready for such pain. Ever our prayer would be, 'Not yet! Not yet, dear God—another day With us let our beloved stay.' We must believe when falls the blow, That wisely God has willed it so."

DIED

In Togus, Jan. 30, George I. Angeline of Upton, aged 20 years.

In Bethel, Jan. 31, Garard C. Eames, aged 40 years.

In West Stewartstown, N. H., Jan. 31, Thomas Henry Schoola, aged 85 years.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister.
Church School begins at 9:30 each Sunday.

Morning Worship 11:00.
Wendall Wray, a junior at Bates College, will speak at the Congregational Church next Sunday morning as part of the Youth Week program. His subject will be "The Negro Speaks of Rivers."

Wray is himself a Negro and has had several years' experience speaking before youth groups throughout western Maine as a member of the Bates Christian Association's "Interracial Deputation." A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., he served 22 months in the army engineers and is now majoring in psychology at Bates. He is vice-president of his class and a member of the advisory board of the Garnet, college literary magazine. The Guild will hold a Gentlemen's Night, following a pot luck supper, on Wednesday evening in the Chapel. The program will be in charge of Phyllis Howe, June Scothorne, Helen Varner and Edith Rowe.

METHODIST CHURCH

William Penner, Pastor

9:45 Church School. Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent.

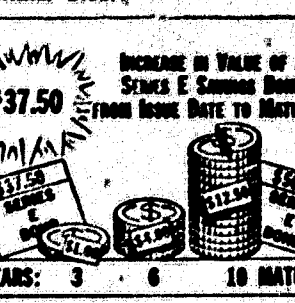
11:00 Morning Worship service. Sermon theme, "Can God Be Experienced as a Satisfying Reality?"

7:00 Youth Fellowship meeting at the Church.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Public services are being held on further notice. All are cordially invited.

Golden Text, "What man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God" (1 Corinthians 2:11).



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NORWAY, MEXICO PREY FOR GOULD

GOULD 74-MEXICO 4

GOULD's 74-45 win over Wednesday clinched the Maine Conference championship with 7 wins and no losses. Fryeburg is now with 2 losses. The conference game and affect the standing as place is concerned.

Bennett with 24 points with 23 led the score brought up from the J.V. till in at a forward position ball, scoring while Hall scored in too, with 10.

B. Fraser was tops for 20s with 13 points. The grand exhibition as the Huskies point for 20 teams scored heavily in stanza. Mexico made 22 in the last quarter.

The Gould J.V.'s won inary handily 59-24. The of the J.V. schedule is Berlin.

Gould (74)	12
Bennett f	5
Mason f	4
Hall f	4
Davis c	10
Boyd c	1
Kendall g	1
Guernsey g	0
Smith g	0
Dodge g	0
Totals	33

Mexico (45)	3
Mawhinney f	1
Stacy f	1
Smith f	1
Shaw f	0
B Fraser c	5
Howard c	0
Carver c	0
C Fraser g	3
Burns g	2
Roth g	0
Totals	15

Officials—Brimigan.

GOULD 71-NORWAY

The Gould Huskies co 11th straight school last Friday when the first half of a twin bill way Armory. The win on the first tip-off play never headed. Bennett led the winners with 22 while the other three scored nine points.

R. Leeman and Gend Norway scoring 7 points. Losers fought to the changing their style of could not halt the "Blue scoring spree.

Kendall, who replaced Hamilton some played his best ball while Smith played his game. Hall was not up shooting form but played game on defense and of

In the second game of Ing South Paris rallied period but could not Fryeburg's 39-30 lead succumbed 52-49.

Gould (71)	9
Bennett f	0
Guernsey f	0
Hall f	3
Dodge f	0
Davis c	10
Boyd c	0
Kendall g	4
Smith g	4
Totals	30

Norway (52)	2
Belanger f	3
R. Leeman f	3
W Hall f	0
Montpelier c	0
Robinson c	2
Gendron g	0
Millet g	1
Dulla g	0
H Leeman g	1
D Allen g	1
Totals	13

Officials—Raymond

GOULD J.V.'S TAKE VICTORY OVER BERLIN

Cosch Bowhay's J.V. victory over the Berlin last Friday to the fun. The locals stepped on lead and never he played fine ball for and collected 16 points mate Lowell. Agnew a to the total.

The two McArthur point men for the 10 and 10 points each.

The size of the greater experience of end team was too Grammar School in the